

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 13 without prejudice. Please amend the claims as follows, where underlining indicated new material and strikethrough indicated deleted material:

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1. (Amended) A method for modulating migration of a cell that expresses a galectin-3 receptor comprising contacting the cell with a migration-modulating amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.~~
 2. (Amended) A method for modulating monocyte, neutrophil or macrophage migration comprising contacting a monocyte, neutrophil or macrophage with a migration-modulating amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide]~~
 3. (Original) The method of claim 1 or 2, wherein the migration is stimulated.
 4. (Original) The method of claim 1 or 2, wherein the migration is inhibited.

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 5. (Amended) The method of claim 1 or 2, wherein the ~~galectin-3 comprises an N-terminal or C terminal~~ method uses a subsequence of galectin-3.
 6. (Amended) The method of claim 1 or 2, wherein the ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide~~ comprises a ~~galectin-3 antibody or a binding fragment thereof.~~
 7. (Original) The method of claim 1 or 2, wherein the migration is modulated in an animal.

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 8. (Amended) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to an inflammatory site comprising contacting the inflammatory site with a migration-increasing amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.~~
 9. (Amended) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to a site of infection comprising contacting the infection site with a migration-increasing amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.~~
 10. (Amended) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to a tumor comprising contacting the tumor with a migration-increasing amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.~~

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11. (Amended) A method for decreasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to an inflammatory site comprising contacting the inflammatory site with a migration-increasing decreasing amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.~~
 12. (Amended) A method for ~~deereasing~~ increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to a site of infection comprising contacting the infection site with a migration-increasing amount of galectin-3, ~~galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.~~
 13. (Canceled)

Please add the following new claims:

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28. (New) A method for modulating migration of a cell that expresses a galectin-3 receptor comprising contacting the cell with a migration-modulating amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.
 29. (New) A method for modulating monocyte, neutrophil or macrophage migration comprising contacting a monocyte, neutrophil or macrophage with a migration-modulating amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.
 30. (New) The method of claim 28 or 29, wherein the migration is stimulated.
 31. (New) The method of claim 28 or 29, wherein the migration is inhibited.
 32. (New) The method of claim 28 or 29, wherein the method uses a subsequence of galectin-3.
 33. (New) The method of claim 28 or 29, wherein the galectin-3 binding polypeptide comprises a galectin-3 antibody or a binding fragment thereof.
 34. (New) The method of claim 28 or 29, wherein the migration is modulated in an animal.
 35. (New) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to an inflammatory site comprising contacting the inflammatory site with a migration-increasing amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.
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- 44 36. (New) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to a site of infection comprising contacting the infection site with a migration-increasing amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.
- 45 37. (New) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to a tumor comprising contacting the tumor with a migration-increasing amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.
- 46 38. (New) A method for decreasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to an inflammatory site comprising contacting the inflammatory site with a migration-decreasing amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.
- 47 39. (New) A method for increasing migration of monocytes, neutrophils or macrophages to a site of infection comprising contacting the infection site with a migration-increasing amount of a galectin-3 binding polypeptide, or galectin-3 receptor binding polypeptide.--